

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA  
EASTERN DIVISION**

SIMPSON VENTURES, INC.,       )  
                    Plaintiff,       )  
v.                                        )  
  )  
MID-WEST METAL                )  
PRODUCTS                        )  
COMPANY, INC.                 )  
                    Defendant.    )  
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MID-WEST METAL                )  
PRODUCTS                        )  
COMPANY, INC.,                 )  
                    Counterclaimant,    )  
v.                                        )  
  )  
SIMPSON VENTURES, INC.,        )  
                    Counterdefendant.   )  
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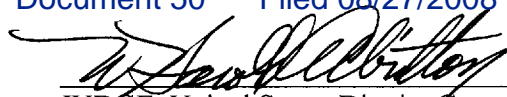
Case No. 3:07-cv-00048 WHA-CSC

**ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR STAY OF BRIEFING SCHEDULE**

Simpson Ventures, Inc. ("Simpson Ventures") and Mid-West Metal Products Company, Inc. ("Mid-West Metal"), having moved the Court to stay the briefing schedule in this matter, and the Court being duly advised in the premises and having considered said Motion, now finds this Motion meritorious and hereby orders said Motion GRANTED.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that the briefing schedule established by the Court in its order of August 14, 2008 (Document No. 47) is suspended until further notice by the Court. The parties shall advise the Court no later than three (3) weeks from the date of this Order as to the status of the anticipated dismissal of this matter.

Dated:

Aug. 27, 2008

JUDGE, United States District Court  
for the Middle District of Alabama  
Eastern Division

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